MYSORE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 2ND OCTOBER 1930.

A total of 143 attacks with 92 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 96 attacks with 53 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City returned 4 attacks with 4 deaths. Bangalore City and the Kolar Gold Field area remained free from the disease.

Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1929 and 1928 were 160 attacks with 118 deaths and 110 attacks with 62 deaths, respectively.

Thirteen attacks with 8 deaths from small-pox were reported from one village in each of Hoskote, Tarikere and Kumsi Taluks, and Chitaldrug, Kumsi and Mulbagal Towns, including Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field.

A total of 20 attacks with 9 deaths from cholera was reported from 8 villages in Channarayapatna Taluk, and one village in Closepet Taluk and Bangalore City.

The State remained free from influenza and relapsing fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 81, representing a calculated annual ratio of 35·87 per mille of population against the average ratio of 33·35 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered—1 under cholera, 1 under small-pox, 6 under malaria, 8 under broncho pneumonia, 6 under pneumonia, 3 under phthisis, 1 under other fever, 8 under dysentery and diarrhœa, 1 under typhoid and 46 under all causes.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 74 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 32·36 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·64 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—cholera 1, small-pox 1, broncho-pneumonia 13, pneumonia 2, phthisis 9, other fevers 2, dysentery and diarrhœa 3 and all other causes 43.

The total mortality in Mysore City was 63, representing a calculated annual ratio of 37·82 per mille of population against the average ratio of 37·77 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were, 4 under plague, 4 under malaria, 3 under broncho-pneumonia, 11 under pneumonia, 3 under other fevers, 2 under dysentery and diarrhœa, 4 under typhoid, and 32 under all other causes.

There were 34 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 20·18 per mille of population against the average of 29·65 in the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were broncho-pneumonia 3, pneumonia 1, phthisis 1, other fevers 1, typhoid 1, and all other causes 27.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE, WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 9TH OCTOBER 1930.

A total of 125 attacks with 78 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 143 attacks with 92 deaths in the previous week. Bangalore and Mysore Cities and the Kolar Gold Field area returned 2 attacks with nil deaths and 8 attacks with 8 deaths and one attack with one death respectively.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1929 and 1928 were 74 attacks and 52 deaths and 95 attacks and 44 deaths respectively.

Nineteen attacks with 20 deths from cholera were reported. Five villages in Channarayapatna Taluk and one village in Closepet Taluk and Bangalore City reported cases.

Five attacks with 2 deaths from small-pox were reported from one village in Tarikere Taluk and Chitaldrug Town and Civil and Military Station.

The State remained free from influenza and relapsing fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 95, representing a calculated annual ratio of 41·66 per mille of population against the average ratio of 33·77 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deths numbered—8 under cholera, 3 under malaria, 4 under broncho pneumonia, 2 under pneumonia, 1 under typhoid, 1 under other fevers, 6 under phthisis, 12 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 58 under all other causes.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 60 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 26·23 per mille of population against the average ratio of 30·71 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were—small-pox 1, broncho pneumonia 7, pneumonia 5, typhoid 2, other fevers 2, phthisis 1, dysentery and diarrhœa 3 and all other causes 39.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 67, representing a calculated annual ratio of 41·50 per mile of population against the average ratio of 26·43 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were—plague 6, malaria 4, pneumonia 6, typhoid 2, other fevers 1, phthisis 6, dysentery and diarrhœa 8 and all other causes 34.

There were 43 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Fied equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 25·50 per mille of population against the average ratio of 17·19 for the [illegible] year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered—1 under